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REMARKS

Applicants elect, without traverse, Claims 45 and 54-59 for further examination on the merits. Claims 1, 2, 4, 7, 12, 14, 15, 16, 18-21, 24, 27, 30, 32, 33, 35, 37, 39, 41, 47, 48, 49, 51, and 53 have been withdrawn. Claims 3, 5, 6, 8-11, 13, 17, 22, 23, 25, 26, 28, 29, 31, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42-44, 46, 50, and 52 were previously cancelled. The withdrawal of the present claims and the previous cancellation of the claims is not a surrender of subject matter and Applicants reserve the right to pursue this subject matter at a later point in time.

Claim 45 has been amended to incorporate the elements of withdrawn Claim 1, which were previously referenced in previously presented Claim 45. New Claims 54-59 have been added. Support for the new claims can be found throughout the specification and original claims, for example, Claims 45, 1, 27, and 30, paragraphs 0015, 0016, 0042, and 0074. As such, no new matter has been added by the amendment or the new claims, and the amendment and claim selection is appropriate given the present Restriction Requirement.

Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,

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